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Agreement Between the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and the UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND

Amending the Agreement of July 3, 1958, as Amended

Signed at Washington December 5, 1979

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Agreement amending the agreement of July 3, 1958, as amended.
Signed at Washington December 5, 1979;
Entered into force March 25, 1980.

AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
FOR COOPERATION ON THE USES OF ATOMIC ENERGY
FOR MUTUAL DEFENSE PURPOSES OF JULY 3, 1958

The Government of the United States of America and the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland;

Desiring to amend in certain respects the Agreement for Cooperation on the Uses of Atomic Energy for Mutual Defense Purposes, signed at Washington the third day of July 1958, as amended;[1]

Have agreed as follows:

[1] TIAS 4078, 4267, 6659, 6861, 8014; 9 UST 1028; 10 UST 1274; 20 UST 518; 21 UST 1064; 26 UST 110.

Article 1

Article III bis of the Agreement for Cooperation shall be amended as follows: The words "December 31, 1979" in paragraphs A, B, and C thereof shall be deleted and the words "December 31, 1984" shall be substituted therefor.

Article 2

Article V of the Agreement for Cooperation shall be amended as follows: Paragraph C shall be amended to read as follows: "Except where specifically authorized by this Agreement or, as may be agreed for civil uses, the recipient Party agrees not to use the information communicated or exchanged, or the materials or equipment transferred, by either Party pursuant to this Agreement for other than the preparation or implementation of defense plans in the mutual interests of the two countries."

Article 3

Article IX of the Agreement for Cooperation shall be amended as follows: The words "paragraph A, paragraph B, or paragraph C of Article III bis" shall be deleted from sub-paragraph 1 of paragraph B and the words "paragraphs A, B or C of Article III bis" shall be substituted therefor.

Article 4

Article XI of the Agreement for Cooperation shall be amended as follows:

1. Paragraph B shall be amended by adding "United Kingdom 'Restricted' or United States" before "Confidential."
2. The words "ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION" and "ATOMIC ENERGY AUTHORITY" shall be deleted from sub-paragraph 1 of paragraph E and the words "Department of Energy" and "Ministry of Defence" respectively shall be substituted therefor.

Article 5

This Amendment, which shall be regarded as an integral part of the Agreement for Cooperation, shall enter into force on the date on which each Government shall have received from the other Government written notification that it has complied with all statutory and constitutional requirements for the entry into force of this Amendment.[1]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, duly authorized, have signed this Amendment.

DONE at Washington this fifth day of December, 1979, in two original texts.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

[2]

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND:

[3]

[1] Mar. 25, 1980.
[2] Reginald Bartholomew.
[3] John Robinson.

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